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January 23, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Attn: Jackie

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Re: United States Application No.: 09/781,265
Filed: December 13, 2000
Title: ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR ASSEMBLY FOR FLAT FLEXIBLE
CIRCUITRY

Dear Jackie:

My name is Thomas D. Paulius and I am an Associate General Counsel in the Molex Legal Department. During Ms. Caldwell's absence on maternity leave I am handling all matters on her behalf.

Pursuant to your telephone conversation with my Assistant this morning, we are attaching a Fee Transmittal to cover the charge for 4 new independent claims which were added in our Amendment "D" filed on December 23, 2002 for the above-referenced matter.

If you require anything further, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Very truly yours,

MOLEX INCORPORATED

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Thomas D. Paulius".

Thomas D. Paulius
Associate General Counsel

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Attachment

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